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MAYSVILLE, KY., TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1900.

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## Maysville Weather.

What May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

### THE LEDGER CODE.

WEATHER FORECAST.  
Blue—Rain of know;  
Black—Snow—White—Windy, Showy;  
Red—Hail—Rainy, Windy, Cold, Windy, etc.  
Yellow—Cloudy, Windy, Changeable, Windy, etc.  
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 4 o'clock tomorrow evening.



If you are feeling well, please drop us a note to that effect.

Colonel O. E. Collins is in Cincinnati today.

Dr. L. H. Landman will be at the Central Hotel Thursday.

Mr. W. J. Hendricks of Flemingsburg spent Sunday in Maysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown returned Sunday night from their bridal trip.

Miss June Pelham spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pelham.

Mr. H. C. Wilson was in the city yesterday, en route from North Fork to Mt. Olivet.

Miss Fannie L. Gordon visited relatives in Lexington from Friday to yesterday.

Mr. John D. Muse and children have returned from a week's visit to relatives at Mt. Carmel.

Colonel James B. Thomas is here from Philadelphia, spending a few days with old friends.

Mr. John D. Muse will attend the National Convention of the U. C. T. on Lynchingburg, Va., this week.

Mr. E. Ellis and son, who spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Simon Nelson, have returned to Cincinnati.

Miss Pearl Murphy has returned to her home at Hamilton, O., after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. A. N. Ellis.

Mr. George F. Brown will leave tomorrow for Lynchburg, Va., to attend the National meeting of the U. C. T. on May 4th and 5th.

Miss Bertie Rosenham, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rosenham, over Sunday, has resumed her home at Cincinnati.

Mr. Ernest Daubert, son of Cincinnati have returned home after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Gray, of Second Street.

Miss Mary Walton, a charming young lady of Germantown, is being delightfully entertained by Miss Nancy Noyes at her beautiful suburban home.

THE BEE HIVE

## Carpets! Mattings.... and Rugs.

Those will soon be busy times for the careful housewife. With the advent of spring comes one of the most important events in her calendar—new carpets. We have a stock of these articles that we will supply you every year—from the cheapest Hemp to a yard to the best Axminster at \$1.25 a yard. Our carpet stock was selected with the purpose of giving the best values for the money. We have a large variety of patterns and colors. Our Mattings stock consists of about 175 rolls, priced ranging from 10¢ to 25¢ a yard. Our Rugs are new and handsome, in many different colors. Our Hand Woven Portieres, world famous, are priced from \$1.49 to \$5.00. Mouquette Rugs, all new designs, at \$2.25 and \$3.25. Mats to match. We have a new floor covering to look at our before purchasing elsewhere. You'll find it to your profit.

## LACE CURTAINS! PORTIERES ..... and CURTAIN GOODS.

You'll find our stocks of these more than complete. There are too many kinds to go into details. The Lace Curtains are priced from \$30 to \$12 a pair. All kinds are represented, from the stately Prince of Wales to the elaborate Roman curtains, from \$1.25 to \$25 a pair. The new Hand Woven Portieres, world famous, are priced here at \$5.00. We have, too, Curtains of all kinds—Dotted Swiss, Ruffled Sambord, Muslins and Net; prices 10¢ to 35¢ a yard.

## HER MAJESTY'S CORSET

Is recognized as America's greatest Corset by the army of women who have worn it and know its comfort, its healthfulness, and its economy. It is a Corset well stitched with a positive guarantee that it will not change in shape, will not stretch, bend or break, and will not give out of shape.

We would like all our patrons to get acquainted with this wonderful stay.

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THE GOEBEL LAW is the most fitting monument that GOENET could have.

Not discouraged, Republicans; there will be many thousands of honest Democrats who will vote with you in Kentucky in the coming election. The majority of Kentuckians are not political thieves.

THE DALLAS (Texas) News recalls to the minds of Democrats a plank in the Democratic platforms at Charleston and Baltimore in 1860. This plank says:

"Resolved, That the Democratic party is in favor of the acquisition of the island of Cuba on such terms as will be honorable to ourselves and just to Spain at the earliest practicable moment."

But it is not worth while to call the attention of the Democrats to all the inconsistencies of its past. That would require more space than the average newspaper cares to give to dead matter.

WHEN GOVERNOR TAYLOR left Frankfort to go to Washington, he was a fugitive from justice; when he went from Washington to New York to consult a prominent attorney about his case before the Supreme Court, he had gone to in-

voke the aid of Governor ROOSEVELT to prevent his arrest; and when he returned to Washington from the New York trip, he was going to remain there, lest his return to Frankfort be followed by his arrest for the murder of WILLIAM GOEBEL.

These are but few of the malignant falsehoods that have been put forth by the Goebelite papers of Kentucky; and like all previous lies emanating from such sources, they have been fully disproven—the latter by the fact that GOEBEL is now in Frankfort, ready to answer any charge that may be made against him, or to suffer any indignity or outrage that may be heaped upon him by the unscrupulous ruffians who are now in the saddle in our sorely afflicted state.

Republicans everywhere believe the Goebelites will leave nothing undone to convict Governor TAYLOR of criminal complicity in the killing of GOEBEL; and a press dispatch says Kentuckians in Washington look at the matter wholly from its political standpoint, and have no expectation that GOEBEL will receive even fair, if not to say just, treatment. Said one Kentucky gentleman—

"The Democrats probably will try to refuse bail for Governor TAYLOR. He could give bond in any amount, a million dollars if necessary, but the Democrats will not let him do it. He will be handled by Democratic officials, and a partisan jury will be packed for his trial. People outside Kentucky little understand the meaning of all this. Under the cloak of the law the gravest violations of civil liberty and human rights will be committed and continued to be committed. GOEBEL has no fear of justice, but it is hardly to be expected that he will give even that in Kentucky."

This sounds very much like an unjustified prejudgment of the case, but it represents the sentiment of Republican Kentuckians in the National Capital. It is declared that GOEBEL's arrest will necessitate his conviction, will bring about the destruction of Democratic claims and prospects in Kentucky. If the prosecution fails to convict him, persecution will be clearly shown and political retribution will follow. The Democrats, it is asserted, fully understand this, and will, therefore, try all the harder to secure a conviction. This is GOEBEL's view of the case. The GOEBEL has no knowledge, his friends declare, what is the nature of the testimony that has been procured against him.

If GOEBEL is unseated, it is said that he will be renominated by the Republicans; for Governor, while the Democrats probably will nominate BRECKHORN, and the fight will be made over. GOEBEL's friends thus expect to see the curious spectacle of a man under indictment for murder, and possibly confined in jail, being nominated for Governor of the state wherein he is under prosecution—and persecuted.

## THE REASONS WHY

You Should Buy Your

CLOTHING  
AND MEN'S  
FURNISHING GOODS

From J. Wesley Lee are he has everything that's new and always the very best that money can buy, and his prices are just a little lower than any who sell the same class of goods. Come in and see the nicest stock of merchandise, the handsomest storeroom and the best lighted one in the state. Respectfully,

J. WESLEY LEE,

N. E. Cor. Second and Market Streets, Dodson's Building,

MAYSVILLE, KY.

DEMOCRATIC sympathy for the people of Porto Rico, like Democratic sympathy for the Boers, is stimulated largely by Democratic eagerness to place Mr. BRYAN in the White House.

Mr. Joseph H. Dodson, who has been ill several days, is improving.

Thomas M. Wood has been appointed Administrator of Susan McDonald, with Henry Orr, Charles E. Pearce and J. Wesley Lee sureties.

Elder R. B. Brinley has resigned as

Pastor of the Christian Church at Amarillo, Tex., and accepted a call from the Church at Monroe City, Mo.

John Sapp, carpet cleaning; also

cleans rugs, furniture, etc. Satisfaction guaranteed or no charge. Leave

orders at G. T. Wood's Drugstore.

Compare it with other local papers,

and then say, if you can, that THE LEADER isn't the best, and that it doesn't

give you the best for the money. Can't

you afford to have it left at your residence for a month? Mr. Hal Curran

will be glad to book your order.

Prices are not only most painful, but also

very dangerous, as the inflamed nerves are very apt to make malignant

and painful sores. The results are produced. They should be cured. Taylor's

will be cured. Taylor's will be

obstinate cases. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 10 cents.

J. Jas. Wood &amp; Son.

Louisville, Ky., May 1.—Sarah

Weinberg, a 3-year-old child living at 113 West Market street, in the heart of the city, has been missing since Saturday afternoon. When last seen the little one was with her playmates on Adelphi. Her parents fear she has been kidnapped. The efforts of the police and a reward of \$50 have availed nothing.

Louisville, Ky., May 1.—The

local Chinatown is in fine shape, and everything appears well for a most

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of the directors of the new Louisville Jockey Club W. F. Schulte was

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# PARDONS NO GOOD

Judge Cantrell Decides That Caleb Powers and John Davis Must Stand Trial.

## ARGUMENT FOR CHANGE OF VENUE.

Could Not Recognize Taylor as Governor of Kentucky Now Nor When the Parisons Were Issued.

The Judge Also Denied That the Soldiers in Frankfort Were Guarding the Court House, but Were in Charge of the Jail.

Frankfort, Ky., May 1.—After the arguments of republicans, Secretary of State Caleb Powers, Capt. John W. Davis, Harland Whittaker, W. H. Cutt, and Richard Combs, colored, for complicity in the murder of William Goebel, and the defendants had admitted their guilt, the Hon. George W. Hunter, attorney for the defense, tendered the pardons granted by republican Gov. Taylor to Caleb Powers and John Davis, and offered them as a bar to the prosecution. In presenting the pardons Mr. Hunter said: "We present these pardons, based on the governor of Kentucky, and plead them as a bar to further prosecution. We make a formal demand for dismissal of the indictments. We do this as a matter of form, not with the hope that the court will sustain the motion."

The petitions for changes of venue were then made. The prosecution entered an objection to the defendants' affidavits. The affidavits, signed by the prosecution, are signed by John C. Noel and R. D. Armstrong, president and vice president, respectively, of the Farmers' Bank of Kentucky; James Thompson, Liverman, and Mason Lucas, farmer. They state that there is no such demand, and would prevent a fair and impartial trial.

Both sides presented a lengthy list of witnesses, who were called to give testimony as to the state of feeling and the question of whether fair trials can be obtained here. There was no agreement on either side as to where the burden of proof should rest in the issue raised, but the prosecution finally gave in, and Commonwealth's Attorney Franklin announced that either side would assume it and was ready to begin hearing proof from its witnesses.

At this point Col. R. W. Nelson, of the defense, arose and made a lengthy argument, objecting to the introduction of proof on the question of a change of venue. The affidavits, he said, were professional, and his reasons for asking a change of venue for the defendants without hearing proof were that the court house was in charge of armed soldiers who represented one of the contending parties to the case, and that there were other evidences of local excitement of which the court could take judicial knowledge and about which it was not necessary to have oral proof to show that the conditions here are such as to interfere with the dispensing of justice.

Col. Cantrell denied that the court house was under guard of the soldiers, but said they were in charge of the jail by order of the county judge. He overruled the objection of Col. Nelson, and three witnesses were called on the defense's behalf in regard to the change of venue. Those who testified were City Judge W. C. Herndon, J. C. Noel, and Mr. Estes. They gave it as their opinion that there is no sentiment in the county that would prevent a fair trial. The court then adjourned.

## SAUSAGE EXCLUDED.

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"Instead of the present clause prohibiting meat imports entirely after three years, the new clause provides that the meat question must be settled anew after December 1, 1909."

It is expected that the Prussian interior secretary, Count von Prenzlau-sky-Weber, says that this compromise will be adopted by both the Reichstag and the Bundesrat.

## ALL OTHERS OUTDONE.

Chicago Gives Her Greatest Ball in Honor of the Victor of Manila Bay.

Chicago, May 1.—Never in the history of the great Auditorium has there been within its walls a sight more magnificently presented than last night when the great ball given in honor of Adm. Dewey was at its height. There have been festive occasions without number in the great hall; dances for charity, balls in honor of illustrious civilians, famous soldiers and distinguished foreigners; but this was the first time in Chicago that had within her gates as a guest a distinguished representative of the American navy, the first time she has been permitted to pay her tribute of honor and respect to the victor of Manila Bay, who had utilized the opportunity to the full.

There was nothing wanting. It was a decisive success from first to last in all details, from the decorations of the walls to the reception proper, which was tendered to the admiral, his wife, and their party, consisting of too many people to allow all of them to dance at one time, but when the dance programme was fully under way the older programme left the boxes and the hall, the floor leaving the room to the younger people, who used it until daybreak. Some 2,000 people were present.

After Adm. and Mrs. Dewey had entered the hall and exchanged greetings with the members of the reception committee they took their stand at Mayor Harrison's right, and to the strains of "The Victors" a hearty rendering by his band, the line of guests had passed, and the orchestra striking up a waltz, the door was surrendered to the dancers.

At midnight the admiral and Mrs. Dewey left the hall for a luncheon in the private room given in an adjoining room by John T. Chittenden-Taylor, and there, after returning to the ballroom for a brief interval, he and his party retired.

## NEW GAME LAW.

It Prohibits Interstate Commerce in Game Killed in Violation of State Laws.

Washington, May 30.—The house passed the Lacey bill to enlarge the powers of the department of agriculture and to prohibit interstate commerce in game killed in violation of local laws.

It authorizes the secretary of agriculture to provide for the introduction and restoration of game, song and insectivorous wild birds. It gives him the power to prevent the introduction of undesirable foreign birds and animals, and prevents the killing of game in violation of state laws for concealed purposes, to states, where it can be sold in the open market.

## BLITHE FESTIVAL.

Pittsburgh, May 1.—The glass bottle factories of the D. O. Cunningham Glass Co., Cunningham & Co. Limited, and Frederick Ling & Co. have been closed indefinitely. The carrying-in boys of the three plants, numbering about 200, are striking for an advance in wages, and the companies say as far have been unable to fit them.

## NEGRO HANGED.

Wobblies, May 1.—George Gordon, a desperate Negro was hanged at Albin by a mob. Gordon became involved in a difficulty with Manning Skinner, of the Robinson plantation, and the latter was badly beaten up by the Negro, who also fired several shots at Skinner. Gordon was then seized by a posse and hanged to the limb of a tree.

## RENTAL ALMOST SUBSIDED.

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# HOLD THE HILLS.

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## VERY ACTIVE WEST OF BLOEMFONTEIN.

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## TRYING TO COMPROMISE.

Turkey Has Not Yet Replied to the Indemnity Demands Made By America.

Washington, May 1.—It is said at the state department that Mr. Gresham, the United States chargé at Constantinople, has not yet acquainted the department with the nature of the reply made by the Turks to his last presentation touching the American indemnity claims, so it is presumed that he himself has not yet received the answer.

There is some reason to believe that a powerful effort will be made by the American government to induce Turkey to promise the indemnity claims officially. Various methods to achieve this have been suggested, but the one which is looked upon as most feasible is that connected with the building of a warship for Turkey in the United States. It is the opinion of the state department that the amount of the claim, as far as it can be ascertained from an American ship builder, instead of through the state department, thereby removing from the department the basis for further prosecution of its demand upon the empire, would be a sufficient inducement to induce the Turkish government to raise the indemnity claim.

Five men were killed and three injured, one of whom will die, in a boiler explosion in a sawmill at Tipton.

One workman was killed and three injured, including the sawmill owner, in a boiler explosion grounds, by the collapse of a scaffold.

Mrs. Jessie M. Drinker-Collins, widely known as a writer of books for girls, is dead. She was the initiator of the "Sintin" society.

The remains of the wife of Gen. Wilson, military governor of Manaus and Santa Clara provinces, Chile, were found dead in a box in which she had been buried in the secret of state when she reached Washington. They will be brought to the United States and interred at Washington, D. C.

Attorneys for J. T. W. Beckwith, democratic governor of Kentucky, filed a brief in the United States supreme court in the case involving the governorship of the state. It is contended that the public office is not a property, and that federal intervention is involved. The argument in the case was then begun. The first presentation was made on behalf of Gov. Taylor by Attorney Helm.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Chicago Were the Winners in Yesterday's Games.

Washington, May 1.—It can be stated that the persons composing the Boer delegation who are about to sail from Europe for the United States from time to time do not necessarily go to the secretary of state when they reach Washington. They will be received as individuals, just as was Mr. Montagu White, but with the distinct understanding that they are not re-

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Retreat of Troops after the Attack upon their position near Gobabis.

reached League river, due west of Ladysmith. Small parties trailing behind at intervals of ten miles to protect the rear and whip up the herds.

Slight outpost actions take place daily beyond Karel Siding, where the head of the British invasion is encountered.

African horse sickness has broken out in Gen. Buller's army. It proves especially fatal among freshly arrived animals. The Bloemfontein correspondent points out that the deficiency in the government department cause thousands of losses.

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## CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The legislature of Trinidad has definitely rejected the offer of free trade made by Canada.

Baron Saurma von der Jetzels, former German minister at Washington, died at his home in Jaunica, Phuins, Mass.

Edward R. Rice, the theatrical manager, filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York. Liabilities, \$9,616; no assets.

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